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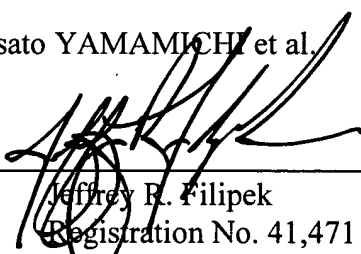
Sir:

Submitted herewith is a substitute Declaration executed by the inventors and the heirs of  
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